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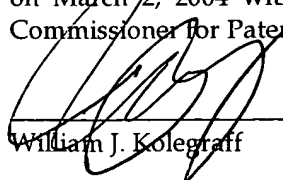
RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to an Advisory Action mailed Feb. 27, 2003, and is accompanied by a Petition for Revival. In this Application, the Examiner mailed a Final Office Action on October 23, 2002, and Applicant responded with responsive Amendments on January 30, 2003. In the Feb. 27, 2003 Advisory Action, the Examiner did not enter the Amendments as they raised new issues. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed June 12, 2003.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Applicant files a Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Unintentionally Abandoned. The Petition includes:

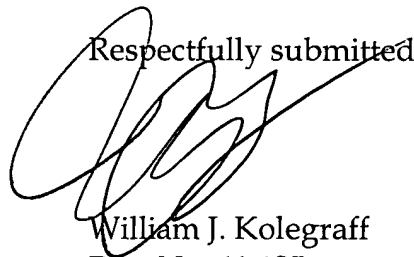
- 1) the required fee of \$1,330.00;
- 2) a responsive reply in the form of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), including the fee of \$770.00; and
- 3) a Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

In the Application, claims 72-82, 88, and 90 are pending. The following section entitled "AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS" includes the claim amendments previously presented in the January 30, 2003 response, and places the claims in the proper amended form according to 37 CFR 1.121.

CONCLUSION

Applicant believes all pending claims 72-82, 88, and 90 are now in a condition for allowance. If the Examiner would find it useful, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,



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